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Second Amendment after Notice of Allowance  
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Metzger *et al.* ) Confirmation No.: 6667  
Serial No.: 10/706,578 ) Group No.: 2856  
Filed: 11/12/2003 ) Examiner: Tamiko D. Bellamy  
For: DUAL SLIDE GATE VALVE AND )  
METHOD FOR USING SAME )

SECOND AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE  
TO CORRECT A TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Assistant Commissioner:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows to correct a typographical error in

Claim 22: